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Re: U.S. Utility Patent  
Patent No. 7,460,585 B2; Issued: December 2, 2008  
For: **Methods and Systems for Detecting Defects in Serial Link  
Transceivers**  
Inventor: Pieter Vorenkamp  
Our Ref: 1875.4230001

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for appropriate action are the following documents:

1. Request for Certificate of Correction;
2. Certificate of Correction (Form PTO/SB/44); and
3. Return postcard.

It is respectfully requested that the attached postcard be stamped with the date of filing of these documents, and that it be returned to our courier.

In the event that extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this patent application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned.

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Sir:

It is hereby requested that a Certificate of Correction under 37 C.F.R. § 1.322 be issued for the above-captioned United States Patent. This Certificate of Correction is being requested due to mistakes which appear in the printed patent. These mistakes were made by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

Specifically, the printed patent contains the following errors for which a Certificate of Correction is respectfully requested:

In Column 7, lines 12-14, "The serial link transceiver according to claim 6, wherein the current monitoring system is configured to sense alternating current provided by the common-mode control circuit." should read --The serial link transceiver according to claim 5, wherein the monitoring system comprises a voltage monitoring system.--

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In Column 7, lines 16-18, "The serial link transceiver according to claim 6, wherein the current monitoring system is configured to sense direct current provided by the common-mode control circuit." should read --The serial link transceiver according to claim 1, wherein the monitoring system comprises a voltage monitoring system."

In Column 7, lines 19-22, "The serial link transceiver according to claim 6, wherein the current monitoring system is configured to sense alternating current and direct current provided by the common-mode control circuit." should read --The serial link transceiver according to claim 1, wherein the monitoring system comprises a current monitoring system.--.

In Column 7, lines 23-25, "The serial link transceiver according to claim 5, wherein the monitoring system comprises a voltage monitoring system." should read --The serial link transceiver according to claim 6, wherein the current monitoring system is configured to sense alternating current provided by the common-mode control circuit.

In Column 7, lines 26-28, "The serial link transceiver according to claim 1, wherein the monitoring system comprises a voltage monitoring system." should read --The serial link transceiver according to claim 6, wherein the current monitoring system is configured to sense direct current provided by the common-mode control circuit.

In Column 7, lines 29-31, "The serial link transceiver according to claim 1, wherein the monitoring system comprises a current monitoring system." should read --The serial link transceiver according to claim 6, wherein the current monitoring system is configured to sense alternating current and direct current provided by the common-mode control circuit.

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***Remarks***

The above-noted corrections do not involve such changes in the patent as would constitute new matter or would require reexamination.

A completed Form PTO/SB/44 accompanies this request, with the above-noted corrections printed thereon. Accordingly, a Certificate of Correction is believed proper and issuance thereof is respectfully requested.

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